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GLADIOLI

and Various Bulbs and Plants Grown by

JOHN LEWIS CHILDS

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OUR Collection of Gladioli is the largest and finest in existence. Their cultivation is our leading specialty, and last season we grew 150 acres of them. All guaranteed first-class and true to name. We also offer a choice collection of home-grown Lilies, Iris, Cannas, and various Bulbs and Plants.

TERMS.—All bills due January 1st and June 1st. If not paid then interest will be added. Orders from unknown parties must be accompanied with cash or satisfactory reference. 10 bulbs given at 100 rates; 250 at 1,000 rates. A discount of 8 per cent. for cash with order, or 5 per cent. if paid within 30 days. All goods travel at risk of consignee.

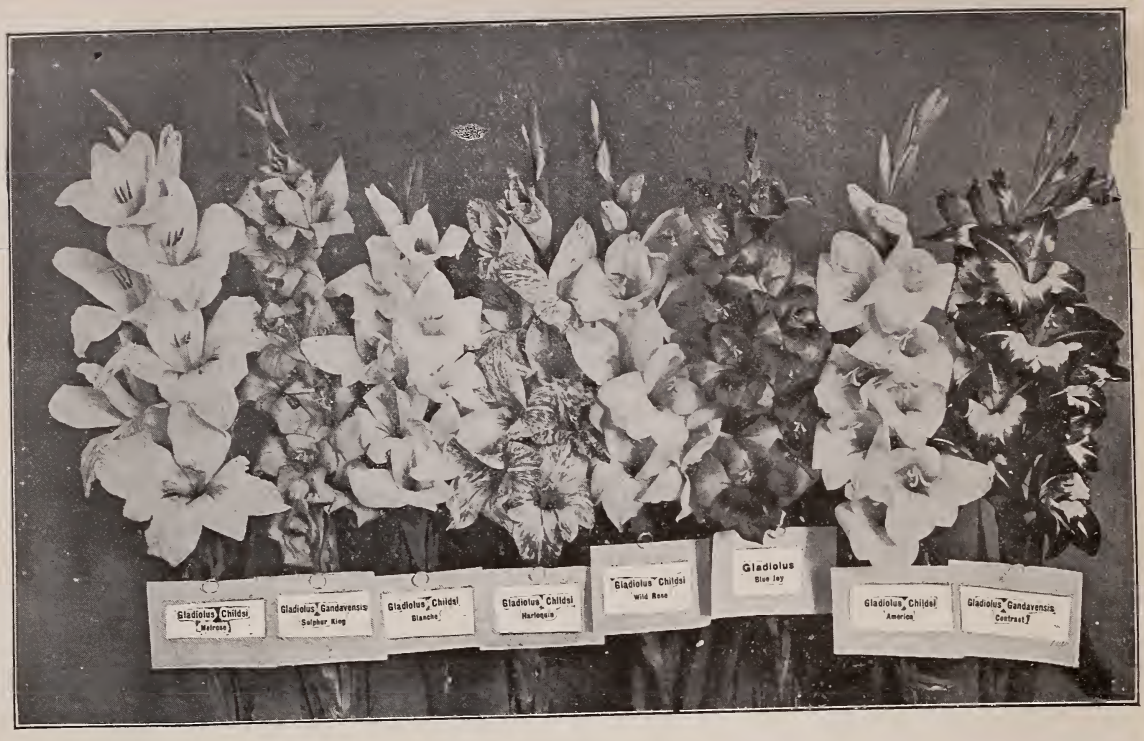
Prices are F. O. B. Floral Park, N. Y. Advise how you want order shipped.

A very small charge will be made for Packing Cases and Barrels.

Early Orders Will Secure the Finest Bulbs

John Lewis Childs

Floral Park, N. Y., U. S. A.



Our Grand Mixed Gladioli.

Our mixed Gladiolus are very fine indeed, being choice varieties only. All old and common ones have been discarded, and customers can depend upon having a large and magnificent variety of colors.

Pink and White Mixture (New)

This is the ideal mixture for the florist who wants something extra fine for particular trade. Some of our best whites and pinks are used, including "America." $3.00 per 100; $25.00 per 1000.

Blue Hybrid Seedlings.

This mixture is the result of sowing seeds of the best blue shades obtainable from Europe and the variation of colors is beyond description. Per 100, $5.00; per 1000, $40.00.

	Per 100	*Per 1000*
Childsi Mixed—First quality. Extra large and fine flower. Cannot be beat for garden planting. Contains many named varieties and beautiful seedlings	2 00	18 00
Childsi Mixed—Good quality, darker shades	1 50	12 00
Gandavensis—All colors, mixed, first size, first quality	1 50	10 00
Popular Mixture—This is composed of good sized bulbs, but not all strictly first size, and a good range of colors. For general use we recommend it in preference to all first or all second size	1 00	8 00
Superb Seedlings—These are extra fine, producing the greatest possible range of colors	1 50	12 00
Our XXX Mixture—Just the stock for those who want only the very best, made up of named varieties and includes a good per cent of Childsi Hybrids	2 00	15 00
Groff's Hybrids Mixed—First size, finest quality	1 00	9 00
Lemoine's Mixed—First size, first quality. A splendid range of colors	1 50	10 00
Lemoine's Seedlings	1 50	12 00

Mixtures Under Separate Colors G. Gandevensis.

These are very choice and absolutely true to color. We call special attention to our EXTRA WHITE and LIGHT. They are extra fine.

Extra White and Light varieties, mixed, all first class, best named sorts	2 50	20 00
White and Light varieties, mixed superb	1 50	12 00
Scarlet and Red—Extra fine scarlet and red	1 00	9 00
Pink—Fine pink and rose shades	1 50	12 00
Yellow and Orange—Best yellow colors	3 50	30 00
Striped and Variegated—Extra fine	2 50	20 00
Scarlet, White Throat—Extra fine, mixed	2 00	16 00

GLADIOLI OF SPECIAL MERIT.

Childsi.

	Per 100	Per 1000	Per 5000
AMERICA-Large flower, flesh pink, beautiful	$5 00	$40 00	$170 00
Attraction—Deep, dark, rich crimson with a very conspicuous large pure white center and throat At once a most beautiful and attractive sort	6 00	50 00	
Blanche—Large flowers, pure snow-white, with but faint marks	10 00	80 00	
Brilliant—Beautiful orange-red with carmine and white throat.	4 00	30 00	
Columbia--Light orange-scarlet, freely blotched and penciled with bluish-purple. Throat freely mottled	2 00	15 00	70 00
Deborah—Dark red, tinged with amaranth. Very large pure white throat and blotches, white band through petals	4 00	30 00	
Eva—Beautiful rose shaded and marked with slate. Throat mottled	5 00	40 00	
Florida—Deep dark-red. Very early	2 00	15 00	65 00
Gracilis--Slender, graceful spike with large flowers of a dull red color, margined and penciled with slate blue	3 00	25 00	
Henry Gillman-Deep salmon-scarlet, with pure white bands.	2 00	15 00	65 00
Irene—Fine large flower and spike. Color a fine shade of pink freely flaked bright crimson	$5 00	$40 00	$175 00
Kate—Blush white, with crimson blotched throat	6 00	50 00	
Little Blush-Dwarf habit, compact spike of a blush white	3 00	25 00	
Nezinscott—Bright blood-scarlet, with deep velvety crimson-black blotches and white mottlings in throat	5 00	40 00	
Oddity—Deep amaranth red, deeply suffused with purple-blue. Large distinct white marks	3 00	25 00	
Salem—Fine salmon-pink, maroon blotches	4 00	30 00	
Superb—Enormous flower and spike, one of the very largest; pink, flaked and striped with salmon pink	6 00	50 00	
Sunlight—Light crimson with canary-yellow throat. Mottled velvety maroon. Very striking color	6 00	50 00	
Variabilis— Blue-black flaked with pink, very odd	5 00	40 00	
Wm. Falconer—Spike of great length and flowers of enormous size. Beautiful clear light pink.	4 00	35 00	

Gandavensis.

	Per 100	Per 1000	Per 5000
Ajax—Beautiful striped	$3 00	$25 00	
AUGUSTA — Lovely pure white, with blue anthers	2 00	15 00	65 00
BRENCHLEYENSIS— Vermillion-scarlet, fine old variety.	1 50	10 00	45 00
CANARY BIRD — Finest yellow	7 00	60 00	
CERES— Pure white, spotted with purplish rose	1 50	12 00	55 00
EMMA THURSBY — White ground; carmine stripes through petals	3 00	20 00	90 00
EUGENE SCRIBE—Flowers very large and wide; perfect tender rose, blazed carmine-red	4 00	30 00	
GEN. PHIL SHERIDAN—Fiery red, white line running through each petal	3 00	25 00	
Glory of Brightwood — Scarlet; with lemon throat	4 00	30 00	
ISAAC BUCHANAN — Very fine yellow	5 00	40 00	
LAMARCK (DE) — Cherry, lightly tinted with orange blazed with red, center is very well lighted, with large, pure white stain	1 50	12 00	50 00
MADAME MONNERET—Delicate rose	3 00	20 00	
May—A lovely pure white flower finely flaked bright rosy crimson	2 00	15 00	70 00
Mrs. Krelage—Fiery red, white throat, veined carmine and white	5 00	40 00	
OCTOROON—A beautiful salmon-pink; very distinct	4 00	30 00	140 00
Prolific Pink—A good pink of remarkably free growth	1 00	8 00	35 00
REINE BLANCHE — Pure white, dark carmine blotch	3 00	20 00	90 00
SHAKESPEARE—White, very slightly suffused with carmine-rose; large rosy blotch	6 00	50 00	
Sylphide— Pure white, flamed carmine	4 00	30 00	
Thalia— White, flamed and streaked with carmine	4 00	30 00	

Miscellaneous.

	Per 100	Per 1000	Per 5000
Blue Jay—(Baron Hulot)--The finest blue Gladiolus yet seen. It is a rich deep color of indigo shade. The only real **blue** Gladiolus on the market	$10 00	$90 00	
EASTER GLADIOLUS — (Mme Lemonier)— Very early, white with lemon tinge	1 50	12 00	
Jessie— Fine velvety red, long spike of flowers	2 00	15 00	
Klondyke—Light yellow, crimson maroon blotch	6 00	50 00	
Marie Lemoine--Large spike of fine well-expanded flowers; upper division of a pale creamy color flushed salmon-lilac, the lower divisions spotted violet and yellow	2 00	18 00	
Mrs. Francis King-Light scarlet of pleasing shade	5 00	40 00	
Princeps-(The Amaryllis-Flowered Gladiolus.) Color; rich crimson with broad white blotches across the lower petals making it a most striking variety.	10 00		

GLADIOLUS AMERICA.

GLADIOLUS "AMERICA."

THE PEER OF ALL GLADIOLI

GROWTH. By far the most vigorous and easily grown Gladiolus known. Strong and healthy, with luxuriant dark-green foliage and a freedom of growth and flowering surpassing all others.

FLOWERS. Spikes two to three feet long, erect with a great number of large spreading blossoms, all facing one way and showing a color the delicacy and beauty of which it is impossible to describe or reproduce. It is an exquisite soft lavender pink, very light, almost a tinted white; the color is the same as seen in the most exquisite Cattleya Orchids. No color like it in any other Gladiolus; none half so beautiful.

USEFULNESS. As a cut flower it is perfectly immense, lasting in water for a week or more, the great blossoms retaining full size and delicate coloring. For florists use and for bedding it is without a rival.

FOR FORCING. "America" forces easily and is the most profitable variety for that purpose. Its fine color makes it a ready seller at big prices.

"AMERICA" has been awarded Certificate of Merit by S. A. F., Washington, D. C.; Mass. Hort. Soc., Boston,; by American Institute, N. Y. City, N. Y. Florists Club, Rhode Island Hort. Soc., Connecticut Hort. Soc. Also used for decorating the Yacht "Mayflower" when Pres. Roosevelt received the Peace Envoys of Japan and Russia.

Strong Flowering Bulbs $5.00 per 100. $40.00 per 1000. $170.00 per 5000.

TESTIMONIALS

Little Silver, N. J., Sept. 7, 1907.

MR. JOHN LEWIS CHILDS, Floral Park, N. Y.

DEAR SIR:--I have had in flower the present season nearly all the newer Gladiolus including America. I find America to be superior to any other; in fact, the finest Gladioli I have ever grown. We sell flowers to the summer residents, in this vicinity, from the delivery wagon and the cut spikes of America sold readily at 75c. and $1 per dozen while the other sorts could scarcely be sold at 25c. to 40c. per dozen. Could have sold many more blooms of America if we had had them. In a word, I regard it as the most beautiful and most valuable Gladioli as yet offered:

J. T. LOVETT.

DETROIT, Mich,, Sept. 18, 1908.

MR. JOHN LEWIS CHILDS, Floral Park, N. Y.

DEAR SIR:—Last yaar we grew a lot of America Gladiolus and it is so beautiful and satisfactory in all respects that we increased our plantings very much this year. I think it would be difficult to describe the magnificent flowers of this variety with full justice to it. There is color sufficient for any joyous occasion flowers may be wanted for, and yet, soft and delicate enough for subdued effect. The spikes are large and most uniformely well formed. I shall always grow large quantities of it for my trade, which is like myself delighted with it. I will say further that the flowers of this variety that were shown at the S. A. F. Convention at Dayton last year, while splendid indeed, could not compare well with those of our growing in either color or size. Very truly yours,

J. F. SULLIVAN.

COHOCTON, N, Y., Sept. 7, 1907.

MR. JOHN LEWIS CHILDS, Floral Park, N. Y.

DEAR SIR:—I have grown Gladioli America, for two years, and have exhibited it at twelve different flower shows during that time. I have a fine collection of Foreign and American varieties, but America, wherever exhibited,—gives perfect satisfaction. It is not only a first class flower, but the plant is very robust and healthy--Too much cannot be said in its favor.

Very truly yours,

CHAS. LARROWE.

MR. CHILDS:—I bought a few dozen bulbs of Gladiolus America and Cardinal of you last spring and they are away ahead of anything I have ever seen, although I am growing about eighty varieties that I have imported from a famous English firm. America is far ahead of one variety for which I paid $1.85 for a single bulb.

L. L. M.

Greenville, R. I., Sept., 1907.

Tuxedo, N. Y.. Sept. 9th, 1907.

MR. JOHN LEWIS CHILDS, Floral Park, N. Y.

DEAR SIR:--I have grown your Gladioli America since you first introduced it, very extensively both for out-door culture and winter forcing, and under both circumstances it proved everything you claimed for it. It comes up to everything you claimed for it, in fact you do not claim anything to much. It is the finest Gladioli I ever grew.

Yours very truly,

WILLIAM HASTINGS.

Sinking Springs, Pa., Sept. 7, 1907.

MR. JOHN LEWIS CHILDS, Floral Park, N. Y.

Dear Sir:—I have given Gladiolus "America" a thorough test and am satisfied with the results. The color is a desirable one for florists' use and the blooming spikes have been selling for more money than any other variety. I think it will continue to be the leader in pink and will eventually displace all other varieties of that color for I do not know of a better one.

Very truly yours,

THOMAS J. OBERLIN.

Gladiolus Childsi.

Gladiolus Childsi

Childsi are much stronger and more vigorous than other Gladiolus, the growth being exceedingly rank and the foliage dark, healthy green. They are very tall and erect, often standing four or five feet high, with spikes of bloom over two feet in length. They branch freely, in most cases each stem producing three or four spikes and bloom much earlier than ordinary varieties. The flowers are of great size, frequently seven to nine inches across. The form of both flower and spike is perfection itself, and they last in bloom a long time before fading, owing to their great substance and vigor, but the most remarkable feature is the coloring. Orchids cannot surpass them in their varied and delicate shades, markings and blendings. Every color known among Gladiolus is represented, and many never before seen, particularly blues, smoky grays and purple-blacks, all having beautiful mottled throats, made up of white, crimson, pink, yellow, etc., and in this peculiar network of charming spots and colors lies one of its special points of unsurpassed beauty. They far outrank all other Gladiolus in size of spike, size of bloom, vigor, varied and magnificent coloring and freedom of bloom.

Per 100.

AMERICA—Large flower, flesh pink, beautiful..... $5 00

Aline—A large wide open flower, pure white, slightly striped crimson or pink. Extra fine..... $20 00

Attraction—Deep, dark, rich crimson with a very conspicuous large pure white center and throat. At once a most beautiful and attractive sort..... 6 00

Adolph Glose—Large spreading flower of a slaty blue color, with large crimson and white throat..... 8 00

A. H. Goldsmith—Large flower of great substance. Color, pink, mottled and striped with dark crimson. White throat..... 8 00

Adolf Jaenicke—Extra large, beautiful blush pink with bright violet and purple mottled center. Very delicately and beautifully colored..... 10 00

Admiral Dewey—Enormous, beautiful silvery pink, with velvety crimson markings..... 10 00

Barclay—Fine wide flower, soft rose with white throat 25 00

Ben Hur—Large compact spike, enormous flower of a peculiar and almost indescribable color. Light salmon-rose, tinged, flaked and mottled and spotted.. 15 00

Brilliant—Beautiful orange-red, with carmine and white throat. Superior to all other scarlets..... 4 00

Burlington—Bright pink, beautifully tinged with orange-scarlet. Carmine and white throat..... 6 00

Beverly—Large, light-red. Clouded and shaded smoky blue..... 5 00

Blanche—Large flowers, pure snow-white, with but faint marks..... 10 00

Boston—Flaming orange-scarlet, large white throat...$ 4 00

Cardinal—Perfect flower and spike, very large and the brightest, cleanest and most intense cardinal scarlet yet seen. Very rich and showy and by all odds the very finest light-colored sort yet seen..... 10 00

Columbia—Light orange-scarlet, freely blotched and penciled with blush-purple. Throat freely mottled. 2 00

Compacta—Large flower, very compact. Wide spike. Rosy blush, slightly striped and mottled pink..... 15 00

Capt. C. B. Tanner—Extra large and fine. Brilliant crimson and white freely mottled and intermixed.. 10 00

Dr. Sellew—Large spike and very large flower, of great substance. Deep, rich rosy crimson, slightly penciled darker. Center of petals and throat rayed white..... 3 50

Dr. Parkhurst—A spike nearly three feet in length and bearing upwards of 25 flowers. Dark, brilliant red, with an elegantly white mottled throat. A superb variety..... 8 00

Deborah—Dark red, tinged with amaranth. Very large pure white throat and blotches, white band through petals..... 4 00

Duchess—Strong luxuriant grower with immense spikes two feet in length, color peculiar mottling of light and dark salmon-reds, with white spotted and mottled throat..... 10 00

Edith—Light soft rose, striped crimson, yellow throat. 20 00

Eva—Beautiful rose shaded and marked with slate. Throat finely mottled with various colors..... 5 00

Erie—Bright, rosy carmine, with canary colored throat 10 00

Elaborate—Bright fiery red, freely penciled with brilliant amaranth and large white throat. Very fine.. 10 00

Per 100.

Expansion—Large widely expanded blossoms. White pink and crimson freely mottled..... 20 00

Ethel—Beautiful soft rose color, white and crimson.... 10 00

Freak—Flowers without stamens or anthers and often quite double. Rich maroon red, shaded slaty-blue. 15 00

F. L. Oakley—Bright salmon tinged scarlet, with a pure white center. Very fine and showy variety... 12 00

Fantastic—Large flaming scarlet of a bright shade, freely penciled deep crimson.. ..... 10 00

Florida—Deep dark-red. Very early..... 2 00

Geo. B. Remsen—Bright crimson and white freely intermixed..... 6 00

Governor McCormack—Extra large flower and truss. Beautiful rose, mottled with silvery gray and with violet and white mottled throat. Very fine being of unusual beauty and oddity 4 00

Glowing Coal—Bright, deep fire scarlet, with a rich velvety maroon throat. Exceedingly rich and brilliant color..... 20 00

Gracilis—Slender, graceful spike with large flowers of a dull red color, margined and penciled with slate blue..... 3 00

Harlequine—White and dark crimson freely suffused, striped, mottled and spotted..... 10 00

Helen—Blush white, striped crimson. Very delicate and pretty..... 20 00

Henry Gillman—Deep salmon-scarlet, with pure white bands; the throat showing peculiar mottling..... 2 00

I. S. Hendrickson—A beautiful and irregular mottling of white and bright deep pink; in some the pink, and in others the white, predominating. Flowers and spikes very large and fine..... 12 00

Indian Chief—Brilliant ruby red, clear and distinct white stripes through three lower petals..... 15 00

Irene—Fine large flower and spike. Color a fine shade of pink freely flaked bright crimson..... 5 00

Jay—Compact spike; large open flower of great substance. Bright crimson-pink, flamed darker, throat mottled..... 20 00

Kate—Blush white, with crimson blotched throat.... 6 00

Keokuk—Deep, bright pink, clouded, tinted and spotted slate-blue..... 5 00

Kearney—Very bright, deep dark rose with white throat..... 20 00

Lavender Queen—Beautiful blending of lavender and lilac. Entirely new color, very distinct..... 25 00

Lael—Soft pink, with bright carmine throat, shaded orange and having a peculiar metallic lustre. Enormous..... 15 00

Leonard Joerg—A compact spike of finely shaped flowers, rich crimson and white mottled, with a yellow throat..... 25 00

Little Blush—Dwarf habit, compact spike of a blush white..... 3 00

Little Violet—Dwarf habit, compact spike of a pleasing lilac..... 4 00

Livonia—Light red, with white mottled throat..... 4 00

Lizzie—White, tinted blush; violet crimson throat.... 10 00

Los Angeles—Pure white, freely marked, penciled and blotched with bright rosy-crimson. An exceedingly fine color and large flower..... 12 00

Lydia—A fantastic mottling of pinkish white and deep rich crimson, in some flowers the white predominating and in others the crimson, no two spikes being exactly alike..... 10 00

Marginata—Fine salmon, with crimson and white throat, each petal having a delicate margin of slate blue..... 15 00

Marion—Pure white with slight rose tinge and a distinctly yellow shaded throat with crimson bars..... 10 00

Mayor—Fine large compact spike; rich purple rose.... 10 00

Melrose—White flaked pink, bright crimson centre. Very large and fine..... 10 00

Middleboro—Salmon-pink, freely flaked and penciled with deep rose, and carmine mottled throat,..... 6 00

Mohonk—A strong, rank grower flowers of large size, and great substance. Deep dark pink with spotted throat, shaded orange and flaked with maroon..... 5 00

Mrs. Beecher—Beautiful deep rosy crimson. Large, well opened flower, with pure white throat freely marked and spotted..... 5 00

Mrs. La Mance—White overspread with a slight lilac shadow, the mottling being purplish crimson..... 20 00

Mrs. R. A. Goldsmith—Large flower, fine spike. Soft delicate rose, shaded lighter. Pure white throat... 10 00

Mrs. W. N. Bird—Beautiful lilac rose, crimson-white mottlings in throat, and carmine marks. Extra fine. 6 00

Nakomis—Soft pink, blotched and shaded with orange-white and crimson throat. Enormous spikes 10 00

Newark—Orange-red, with mottled throat..... 10 00

Nezinscott—Bright blood scarlet, with deep velvety crimson-black blotches and white mottlings in throat..... 5 00

Norma Dee Childs—Extra large flower and spike. Color delicate white, softly penciled with rose and with large sulphur yellow throat. Perfectly exquisite and distinct..... 20 00

Novelty—Rosy crimson, flaked darker. Lower petals deep velvety crimson, blotched and mottled white. Very striking color..... 20 00

Oddity—Deep amaranth red, deeply suffused with purple-blue. Large distinct white marks and red and white mottled throat,..... 3 00

Old Oxford—Slaty crimson heavily clouded with blue. Large crimson and white mottled..... 10 00

Oriole—Lovely mottling of pink and gray, with beautiful yellow banded throat. Exquisite spikes..... 10 00

Pearl—Light rosy pink, beautifully tinged violet and having pure white bars through center of each petal 15 00

Prescott—Lovely flower, almost white, pink tinge and large bright purple throat..... 25 00

Melrose

	Per 100
Princeton—Large flaming red, with violet and white mottlings in throat, spikes of great length	10 00
Prince of India—Color varies from light to deep smoky-gray, many of the petals being zoned and banded; and freely penciled with dark slaty-blue with a flaming crimson throat which is profusely mottled with white. A most remarkable mixture of colors and one of great oddity and beauty	30 00
Portland—Rosy-red, penciled darker, mottled throat	5 00
Princeps—Rich crimson with very deep shadings in the throat and broad blotches on lower petals	10 00
Rosendale—Lilac-rose, tinged slate-blue	10 00
Roseann—Very tall imposing spike. Bright rosy crimson. White mottled throat	10 00
Scribe—A beautiful, large, well-open flower and an enormous spike. Color like the fine old Eugene Scribe, tinted white, freely striped carmine. A very attractive sort	15 00
Salmon—Color rich salmon pink	20 00
Sunlight—Light crimson with large canary-yellow throat. Mottled velvety maroon. Very striking color	6 00
Spot—White freely spotted and marked rose	10 00

Attraction

	Per 100
Sacramento—Deep, bright coral scarlet, with white mottlings	10 00
Sandusky—Carmine red, penciled and flaked darker	8 00
Saratoga—Large, flaming orange-scarlet	6 00
Salem—Fine salmon-pink, maroon blotches	4 00
Senator Childs—Large, well opened flower, deep glowing red, with enormous white throat	20 00
Sentry—Blush-pink, spotted crimson, Dwarf	10 00
Siboney—Slaty gray, marked and mottled darker	3 00
Splendor—A splendid large flower, of the softest, sweetest rose color. Large magenta stains	8 00
Striped Banner—Very tall with long spikes. Flowers large and well opened; white, freely marked and striped deepest crimson	20 00
St. Louis—Very large flower of a splendid rose color.	10 00
Superb—Enormous flower and spike, one of the very largest; pink, flaked and striped with salmon pink.	6 00
Torch-Light—Very large spike of large, light, flaming scarlet flowers. Throat mottled and spotted white	15 00
Variabilis—Enormous size and vigor, standing nearly seven feet high with the largest spikes ever seen on any Gladiolus. But this is not the only great merit. The flowers range in color from dull deep pink, flaked, with blue-black to a solid blue-black color of smoky hue, flaked with pink. Some spikes will be one color and some the other, while flowers of both colors are often seen on the same spike	5 00
Waukesha—Salmon-pink, shaded lighter inside; large beautiful primrose throat, thickly mottled crimson	5 00
Wm. Falconer—Spike of great length and flowers of enormous size. Beautiful clear light pink	4 00
Wyandanch—Very light red, white throat	10 00
Wild Rose—Very bright rose or blush tint, exceedingly delicate and pretty	20 00

"Our Famous Eight"

A collection of Gladiolus that will appeal to the most critical observer as being noted for *superior merit.*

AMERICA: Flesh pink

BLANCHE: White.

BLUE JAY: Blue.

CONTRAST: Scarlet with white throat.

HARLEQUIN: Striped and variegated.

MELROSE; White flaked pink.

SULPHUR KING: Deepest yellow.

WILD ROSE: Blush tint.

$12.50 per 100. For trial: 1 each for $1.00. 5 of each for $4.50. A superb collection for the garden.

New Gladioli 1908

MONSTER—(Childsi). Enormous sized bloom, one of the very latest. Pink mottled salmon, with a decided blue tinge.

GLARE - (Gandavensis). Compact spike of large size and perfect form. Intense scarlet, with a bright violet-blue throat.

GLORY—(Gandavensis). Enormous flower, and perfect form, making an elegant spike. Salmon (bright) light shaded inside.

S. PARNELL—(Gandavensis). Bright rosy pink. Shaded lighter inside.

DAWN—(Childsi). Elegant rose, with large pure white center. Exceedingly beautiful.

$25.00 per 100

The Two Most Valuable Cheap Gladiolus in Cultivation.

FOR CUT FLOWERS THEY ARE UNSURPASSED.

May.

This Gladiolus being so very cheap, and so very handsome and valuable as a cut flower, should be most extensively planted by florists and others who grow for market. It makes a beautiful spike, compact and perfect, while the individual blossoms are of great substance and will stand shipping without bruising better than any other variety. Its color is one of the most attractive as well as one that is in greatest demand, being almost pure white, with markings of bright rosy crimson. It is a strong, healthy grower, and will give immense satisfaction in all localities and for all purposes. As an inexpensive variety we recommend it above all others with the possible exception of Ceres. First Size Bulbs—Per 100, $2.00; per 1,000 $15.00.

Ceres.

Another highly valuable variety for the cut flower trade. One of the best of the white or light colored class, a good free grower and fine bloomer. Fine bulbs, $1.50 per 100; $12.00 per 1,000.

Contrast

Gladiolus Gandavensis.

Best Named Varieties. Ten Bulbs given at 100 Rate.

	Per 100
Ajax—Beautiful striped	3 00
Amalthee—Pure white with violet-red blotch; ground of the corolla velvety violet, the lower petals slightly tinted with lilac	6 00
Angele—White, showy and effective	$ 8 00
Augusta—Lovely pure white, with blue anthers	2 00
Brenchleyensis—Vermilion-scarlet; fine old variety	1 50
Brilliancy—Intense ruby-scarlet. A rich and brilliant color	20 00
Canary Bird—Finest yellow	7 00
Carnation—Fleshy-white, profusely tinged at the edges with the richest carmine; lower petals blotched purplish carmine	10 00
Ceres—Pure white, spotted with purplish rose	1 50
Chamont—Lilac shaded with purple	5 00
Chrysolora—Golden yellow, pure and distinct, the finest yellow variety	15 00
Contrast—Flowers of great substance and a beautiful compact spike of perfect form. Color intense scarlet with a large, distinct pure white center which is neither tinted or mottled. One of the most striking and beautiful Gladiolus ever introduced	20 00
Conquete—Large and fine flower of bright cherry-red with a conspicuous pure white blotch, upper petals striped with delicate rose	8 00
Corsaire—Compact spike, large flowers of a very intense dark and velvety scarlet, and tinged with brown at the edge	5 00
Countess Craven—Rose, flaked carmen	5 00
DOCTOR HOGG—Mauve, suffused with rose; center pure white	6 00
Edna—White and pink, freely striped, mottled and blotched	25 00
EMMA THURSBY—White ground; carmine stripes through petals; blotch on the lower division	3 00
EUGENE SCRIBE—Flowers very large and wide; perfect tender rose, blazed carmine-red; extra fine.	4 00
Fra Diavolo—Long compact spike of large, bright orange-red flowers flushed violet-red at the edges of the sepals; large pale yellow blotch	30 00
GEN. PHIL SHERIDAN—Fiery red, white line running through each petal, and a large, pure white blotch on the lower division	3 00
GEN. SHERMAN—Large fine scarlet	6 00
Glory of Brightwood—Scarlet: with lemon throat	4 00
Harmonia—Bright purple shaded crimson, and veined white, with a large snow white center; very showy	25 00
Horace Vernet—Large purple-red with white blotch	5 00
ISAAC BUCHANAN—Very fine yellow	5 00
La France—Pure white flowers; slightly flamed with carmine toward the edges; large amaranth blotch passing to pure white	5 00
LAMARCK (DE)—Cherry, lightly tinted with orange blazed with red, center is very well lighted, with large, pure white stain	1 50
Latone—Tall and very compact spike; fine flowers of a delicate rose with creamy white blotch	6 00
LE POUSSIN—Light red, white blotch	4 00
Lemon Drop—Light lemon with bright yellow throat. Finely tinted with crimson	10 00
LACROSS—Fine spike; orange scarlet, flaked maroon	4 00
Mrs. Krelage—Fiery red, white throat, veined carmine and white	5 00
Magnificus—Tall variety with handsome spikes of large flowers; round and open; cinnabar red; fine white blotch; edged with violet	20 00
Mahdi—Large, deep, reddish-black	10 00
Madame Leseble—Pure white, large rose blotch	6 00
MADAME MONNERET—Delicate rose	3 00
Marie Berger—Rose lilac, blotched and striped with red, shaded into yellowish rose towards the center; dense spike of well opened flowers	15 00
May—A lovely pure white flower, finely flaked bright rosy crimson; superb spike	2 00
Mazeppa—Fine orange. Good perfect flower	5 00
Mr. Bains—A wonderful distinct color, a clear, light red; self color	4 00
Octoroon—A beautiful salmon-pink; very distinct	4 00
Prolific Pink—A good pink of remarkably free growth	1 00
Pactole—Beautiful yellow, slightly tinged with rose at the edges, blotch of dark shade	5 00
Pappilon—A compact well-formed spike, with flowers of a yellow ground, conspicuously flaked and bordered with carmine	10 00
Pepita—Bright golden yellow flowers, slightly striped carmine at the edges of the petals towards the end of the flower season	6 00
Pyramide—Perfect spikes, broader at the lower parts than at the top, large, well expanded orange-rose	5 00
Phebus—Brilliant red; large pure white blotch	6 00
Proserpine—Rosy white	6 00
Pygmalion—Cherry-red, slightly flamed with a darker shade; pure white blotch, feathered violet; each petal has a white band	10 00
Queen of the Fairies—Fine light sulphur-yellow-shaded	10 00
Reine Blanche—Pure white, dark carmine blotch	3 00
Reverend Berkeley—Light rose and tinged violet-carmine, feathered white blotch	5 00
Richard Cœur de Lion—Fine spike of large flowers of a bright crimson-red color flamed and edged with garnet; lower petals spotted and blotched yellow	6 00

Robert Fortune—Orange-lake, shading off to purple-crimson; veined white..... 4 00
Shakespeare—White, very slightly suffused with carmine-rose; large rosy blotch..... 6 00
Snow White—All that need be said about this grand novelty is, that it is absolutely pure *snow-white*, the the only pure white Gladiolus in existence. It also has large, well opened flowers and an enormous spike of the most beautiful shape..... 10 00
Sunshine—Tall spike with 20 or more flowers. Very fine yellow..... 15 00
Salmonia—Good spike of flowers which are composed of various shades of salmon yellow..... 30 00
Sunset—Lovely pink, blotched and flamed darker.... 10 00
Sultana—Bright satin-rose flamed with carmine; purple-carmine blotch... 15 00
Sylphide—Pure white, flamed carmine..... 4 00
Sulphur King—Beautiful clean, sulphur yellow finest and clearest of all yellow sorts..... 20 00
Thalia—White, flamed and streaked with carmine... 4 00

Lemoines Hardy Gladiolus.

Atlas—Clear violet, large velvety maroon blotch.... 3 00
Andre Chenier—Pink, spotted black and yellow..... 3 00
Admiral Pierre—Large flowers, round, very open; dark carmine-red, lower divisions clouded maroon purple..... 3 00
Baron Hulot—(Blue Jay)—The finest blue Gladiolus yet seen. It is a rich, deep color of an indigo shade. The only real **blue** Gladiolus on the market..... 10 00
Beaurepain—Flowers large, rose tinted violet, throat violet maroon; edged with salmon..... 5 00
Chas. Martel—Rosy blush, intense large carmine blotch..... 2 00
De Cheville—Salmon red, buff blotch..... 5 00
Dandy—Vigorous, long spike of large blossoms. Color dark crimson, with fine yellow center..... 5 00
Edison—A beautiful combination of many rich colors. 5 00
Emile Lemoine—Bright vermillion dotted gold..... 3 00
Entendard—Light brick-red, with large canary and crimson blotches..... 5 00
Easter Gladiolus—(Mme Lemoinier)—$12.00 per 1000. 1 50
Fireflush—Deep brilliant salmon with a fiery tinge and rich velvety maroon center. Brilliant and showy..... 10 00
F. Bergman—Large, well-open flower orange-pink, with carmine stains..... 3 00
Gen'l. Faidherb—Very large. Carmine rose, dark purplish red blotch..... 4 00
Incendiary—Fiery red, large blotch of crimson-red on lower petals, small gold markings..... 3 00
Ketelar—Salmon scarlet with crimson and light lemon throat, 4 00
Lamarck—Salmon, crimson and yellow spots..... 3 00
Lafayette—Very large, yellowish salmon, crimson blotches... 5 00
Marie Lemoine—Large spike of fine, well-expanded flowers; upper divisions of pale creamy color, flushed salmon-lilac, the lower divisions spotted violet and yellow..... 2 00
Masque de Fer—Dark crimson blotch..... 4 00
Morning Star—Flowers showy white with a large, rich velvety crimson throat. Exceedingly striking and beautiful and the earliest to bloom of all Gladioli..... 10 00
Pactole—Sulphur-yellow, spotted black, very fine..... 6 00
Vashti—Creamy white, blotched carmine..... 3 00

Gladiolus Lemoinei

Mixed Lemoinei Gladiolus.

We offer a splendid mixture of Gladiolus Lemoinei, all colors and varieties. More than 100 sorts. $1.50 per 100. $10.00 per 1,000.

CALLA ELLIOTTIANA.

This is the great new Yellow Calla of marvelous beauty. Flowers are very large, rich deep golden yellow, often 4 to 5 inches across the mouth, leaves are spotted with white. Such handsome foliage together with such remarkable flowers present a striking appearance indeed.

Strong Bulbs $15.00 per 100.

OTHER CALLAS OF MERIT.

Aurata—(*Lemon Calla*)—New and fine, the flowers being a beautiful, light lemon yellow, with a jet black center, therefore very conspicuous and showy. Its foliage is large and handsome, deep green, freely spotted white. Makes a most superb pot plant, $10.00 per 100.

Rhemanni—Another new Calla which has created a sensation in Europe and sold as high as ten dollars each. It is a strong, free grower with large blossoms which are of a fine pink color. $15.00 per 100.

Mrs. Roosevelt—A new Calla with an elegant spotted leat which is large and luxurious. Flowers white tinged with lemon and very beautiful. $10.00 per 100.

Spotted Calla — The well known Richardia Albo Maculata. $3.00 per 100 ; $25.00. per 1000.

STANDARD CANNAS. *Strong 2-3 eye pieces.*

	Foliage	Flowers	Height	Price per 100
ALLEMANIA	Green	Variegated	5 feet	$3 00
BURBANK	Green	Yellow	4½ feet	3 00
BLACK MUSAFOLIA	Bronze		6 feet	3 00
CRIMSON BEDDER	Green	Intense Scarlet	3 feet	3 00
CHAS. HENDERSON	Green	Red	3 feet	3 00
EGANDALE	Bronze	Cherry Red	4 feet	3 00
DAVID HARUM	Bronze	Scarlet	3 feet	3 00
FLORIDA	Green	Variegated	3 feet	3 00
FLORENCE VAUGHAN	Green	Variegated	3½ feet	3 00
FLAMINGO	Green	Bright Red	5 feet	3 00
GLADIATOR	Green	Variegated	5 feet	3 00
INDIANA	Green	Golden Orange	6 feet	3 00
IMP. BLACK BEAUTY	Bronze	Red	5 feet	3 00
KING EDWARD	Green	Scarlet	4½ feet	3 00
KING HUMBERT	Bronze	Scarlet	4 feet	8 00
LEONARD VAUGHAN	Bronze	Red	4 feet	3 00
LOUISIANA	Green	Vivid Scarlet	2 feet	4 00
MUSAFOLIA	Green		2 feet	3 00
MLLE. BERAT	Green	Rosy Carmine	4 feet	3 00
PRES. McKINLEY	Green	Crimson	3 feet	2 00
PACIFIC BEAUTY	Bronze	Salmon	6 feet	4 00
ROBUSTA	Bronze		5 feet	3 00
RED CROSS	Bronze	Red	4 feet	3 00
ROSEMAWR	Green	Rosy Pink	3 feet	3 00
WEST GROVE	Green	Coral Pink	4½ feet	3 00

Zephyranthes, or Zephyr Flower.

The Zephyr flowers, or Fairy Lilies, are gems of rare beauty; and when planted either in pots or the open ground they produce very beautiful Lily-like flowers nearly all summer. Though some of the varieties are old, they are not generally known or seen in cultivation, owing to the fact that they have never been properly and thoroughly introduced. When once grown they are always grown, for they are one of the prettiest and easiest grown flowers it is possible to have. They are of a lovely section of the great and popular Amaryllis family. For pot culture plant three or four in a 5 or 6-inch pot and they will bloom beautifully. For the garden plant in spring and lift them in the fall, like Gladiolus.

Rosea—Beautiful clear rose; flowers large and very handsome. One of the oldest and best; blooms all summer. Very scarce and seldom seen. $2.00 per 100. $15.00 per 1000.

Sulphurea (Giant Flowered)—This produces flowers as large as large Amaryllis, and on stems 15 to 24 inches in height. One of the clearest and finest shades of yellow we ever saw. The shape of the flower is perfection itself. It is one of the choicest gems in the bulb line. $3.00 per 100.

Andersoni—A little beauty, its flowers being smaller than the others; beautiful tulip-shaped, and orange-yellow in color. A free bloomer. $3.00 per 100.

Candida Improved—Pure white and the freest bloomer of all, though not so large. $1.50 per 100, $10.00 per 1000.

Vercunda—Large pure white. Free bloomer. New and fine. $3.00 per 100.

Childs' Tuberoses

The one flower the rich man must have and the poor cannot do without. We all love its massive spikes, thick, waxen, blooms of rich, creamy whiteness, and its deep delicious fragrance. How often has this sweet flower, that might have bloomed in paradise, been placed upon the cold forms of those whose spirit has gone to fairer fields. We have made our prices very low, that every flower lover may enjoy their peerless beauty. For open-ground culture plant about the middle of May. Give them rich soil, in full sun, and keep free from weeds and they will bloom finely. Plant a good big lot of them for cutting, and if you will pot those which are in bed about the time frost is expected, they will bloom elegantly in pots for a long time · often till Christmas.

Excelsior Pearl—Introduced by us twelve years ago. It is the finest bloomer of all Tuberoses; habit dwarf, flower stalks short, spikes and blossoms enormous in size, and very double and fragrant. The finest for pots as well as for the garden. Large select bulbs, $1.00 per 100; $9.00 per 1,000.

Excelsior Pearl, Second Size—60c. per 100; $5.00 per 1,000.

New Variegated—The leaves of this variety are bordered with creamy white; flowers single but very large and of exquisite fragrance. Bulbs continue to grow and bloom year after year. It makes a most magnificent plant. It blooms several weeks earlier than the other sorts, which greatly adds to its value. $1.50 per 100; $10.00 per 1,000.

Single Orange-Scented—A fine sort bearing very early in the season, large spikes of beautiful single orange-like blossoms. Very fragrant. $2.00 per 100.

Hyacinthus Candicans.

They contrast elegantly with Gladiolus. Planted anywhere, singly or in clumps, they are magnificent. For a cemetary nothing can be more beautiful or appropriate, and nothing thrives better in any situation.

1-2 in. $1.50 per 100; $12.00 per 1000
2-3 in. $2.00 per 100; $15.00 per 1000

HYACINTHUS CANDICANS.

Giant California Tigridias.

We are introducing a strain of California grown Tigridias the bulbs of which are VERY LARGE, SOLID AND VIGOROUS. These fine bulbs keep perfectly well over winter under ordinary conditions, whereas smaller ones dry out and decay. They also make a remarkably strong and vigorous growth, blooming early and with remarkable profusion.

Canariensis—Bright yellow.
Conchiflora—Yellow spotted.
Speciosa—Deep red, spotted purple.
Lilacia—Brilliant violet crimson,
Grandiflora Alba—White, crimson spots.
California Hybrids, Mixed (Burbank)—Grand new strain of mammoth size, and a great variety of splendid colors. These will give splendid satisfaction. Bulbs of great size.

Price, 40c. per doz.; $2.50 per 100; $20.00 per 1000.

TIGRIDIAS.

OXALIS.

Summer-Flowering Oxalis.

Dieppi—Pure white; very fine.
Lasandria—Fine rosy pink, beautiful cut foliage.
Shamrock—Lovely clover-like foliage and pink blossoms.
Mixed Colors—Several colors.

20c. per 1.00; $1.00 per 1000.

Phrynium Variegatum.

An elegant pot or bedding plant which is faithfully depicted in the accompanying cut, though it conveys no idea of the exquisite variegations of the leaves. Its manner of growth is much like that of a Canna, the leaves borne on erect foot-stalks with spreading blades of oblong-lanceolate form. They are bright pale-green, beautifully variegated with white and gold, the variegation being extremely diversified.

$6.00 per 100; $50. per 1000

PHRYNIUM VARIEGATUM.

Dahlia.

Named—We have some 50 named sorts which we can supply our selection of kinds, (but will give colors desired), large field grown roots, undivided, $10.00 per 100. Divided roots, $4.00 per 100.

Mixed—Large field grown roots of finest sorts, mixed, $5.00 per 100. Divided roots half price.

New Cactus Dahlia.

These are not the ordinary form of Cactus Dahlia, but a new strain with blossoms of enormous size, perfectly formed and double to the center. Some have wide, flat petals, others have petals quilled at the end and flat in the middle. Many of them remind one of magnificent Japanese Chrysanthemums. In color they present a varied brillancy and richness not before seen in Dahlias; intense scarlets, delicate pinks, snow-whites and tinted forms, straw color, lemon and orange-yellow, dark maroons, almost black, with a velvety texture that is certainly wonderful; striped, blotched and variegated; in fact all colors and combinations.

Of these glorious Dahlias we have about 50 named kinds. Price, field roots, divided, $10.00 per 100.

Iris Germanica.

Alvelrea—Upright petals light blue, falls brilliant purple, blue flaked and feathered.
Candiamus—Light lavender; falls reddish purple.
Fragrans—White edged with blue ; falls white with blue penciling.
Honorable—Intense yellow; falls a beautiful bronze.
Innocence—White, edged with blue.
M. H. Darwin—Very fine large white.
Madam Chereau—Pure white, edged with azure blue ; falls deep white with blue penciling.
Neclecta—Upright fine blue; falls deep blue. Large flower.
Pearl—Very light lavender, falls deep lavender.
Penelope—Uprights are nearly white, falls veined lively purple.
Parkmani — Uprights pure lemon; falls white veined purple.
Queen of the Gypsies — Dusky light bronze; falls purplish red.
Stenophylla—Self color, light blue shaded darker.
Souvenir—Uprights brilliant yellow ; falls freely veined network of yellow, buff and purple.
Velveteen—Yellowish buff; falls intense plum purple.

	100	1000
Named	$3 00	$25 00
Mixed	2 00	15 00

Iris Kæmpferi or Japanese.

DOUBLE

Blue Danube—Deep indigo blue. Violet shading.
Excelsior—Shaded violet purple, slightly veined white. Center white and orange.
Gold Bound—Pure white, one of the best.
Hyde Park—Reddish purple, striped, blotched white.
La Favorite—Large fine white, freely veined blue.
Mahogany—Dark red shaded maroon.
Mt. Hood—Light blue shaded darker.
Oriole—Somewhat similar to Crimson Tuft.
Paragon—Rich velvety purple.
P. Camille de Rohan—Light purple, shaded violet. Center dark purple.
Pyramid—Lilac blue, veined, white centre each petal.
Robert Craig—French gray, veined violet.
Sea Gull—White, shaded light blue toward centre.
Spotted Beauty—Wavy, double silky white, spotted with violet crimson,
Victor—White veined violet purple.

SINGLE

Apollo—Pure white, pink centre.
H. Von Sieboldt—Reddish, veined white, yellow centre.
Lavender Queen—Fine lavender,
Lovelocks—Deep reddish purple, slightly veined white. Center white and yellow, satiny finish.
Mirage—Light pink, suffused with light blue.
Mars—Reddish purple, striped and blotched white.
Ondine—White shaded light blue towards centre.
Plume—White slightly suffused with blue, violet veins. Centre deep lilac,
Shadow—Self color, reddish purple.
Snowbound—Large pure white with golden bands.
Toledo—White, light purple centre.

Variabilis--New.

Extra large flowers with beautiful wavy petals, white and indigo blue suffused, blotched, striped and marbled.

$10.00 per 100.

Above named sorts (except where noted) $6.00 per 100. $50.00 per 1000.
Double and Single Mixed, $3.50 per 100. $30.00 per 1000.

Lilies.

All the Lily bulbs we offer are of our own growing, and they may be relied upon for health, vigor and free growing qualities. Our stock of L. Tenuifolium is very large and fine.

	Doz.	100.	1000.
Auratum—(The Golden Banded Lily of Japan)—We can say that this is the grandest of all Lilies, and certainly the most popular..	75	6 00	
Batemannia—Three to four feet high with 5 to 10 flowers of reddish orange color. Blooms in July or August....	1 50	10 00	90 00
Canadense—Lovely nodding blossoms, bell-shaped, yellow spotted black.....	60	4 00	35 00
Elegans—Fine mixed colors.....	60	4 00	35 00
Elegans Bicolor—Bright red flushed orange; very showy and large.....	75	5 00	45 00
Elegans Painted Chief—Bright flame color...	1 00	8 00	75 00
Elegans Robusta—Magnificent large flower: orange spotted black.....	75	5 00	40 00
Elegans Aurora—Deep rich orange, suffused scarlet.....	1 00	8 00	75 00
Elegans Leonard Joerg—Rich apricot spotted, very fine.....	1 00	8 00	75 00
Elegans Sanguineum—Very rich dark red with few spots.....	1 00	8 00	75 00
Hansoni—A rare and fine Lily. Flowers appear in large clusters. Rich yellow with black spots.....	4 00	30 00	
Longiflorum—White, trumpet formed.....	60	4 00	35 00
Pardalinum—(Leopard Lily)—Rich scarlet and yellow flowers, spotted with rich brown. Robust and free flowering.....	75	5 00	45 00
Superbum—Three to six feet high, flowers from five to forty, nodding; brilliant orange-red. Blooms in July.....	60	4 00	35 00
Tigrinum, fl. pl.—(Double Lily)—This is a plant of stately habit, growing from 4 to 5 feet high; foliage is dark green and very long, bearing an immense number of double bright orange-red flowers, spotted with black.....	50	3 00	25 00
Tigrinum, Splendens—Improved Tiger Lily...	40	3 00	25 00
Umbellatum—One of the very best, blooming in June or July. 25 finest sorts mixed.....	60	4 00	35 00

Wallacei—This Lily is very floriferous, each bulb throwing up from 4 to 6 flower stems, each one of which is crowned with 8 to 10 beautiful upright blossoms, of a delicate, bright apricot color. Very perfect in form and a most desirable sort... 60 4 00 35 00

Grand Speciosum Lilies.

Henryi—New and exceedingly rare. Tall, strong grower, producing flowers in great profusion of a fine apricot-yellow color. The yellow Speciosum.....	7 00	50 00	
Kratzeri—Tinted white, spotted.....	1 00	7 00	
Melpomene—Words cannot describe the beauty of this variety. Frosted white, spotted, clouded and bordered with pinkish crimson. Petals deeply recurved and widely bordered.	1 00	7 00	60 00
Mostrosum Album—Broad, flat stems and immense heads of flowers, often fifty in a cluster. Pure snow white.....	60	5 00	45 00
Opal—The deeply recurved petals are snowy white at the tip, gradually deepening in color to the base of each petal, which is blotched with a raised moss-like fringe, which glistens like diamonds. The flower is very large....	4 00	25 00	200 00
Praecox—Large, perfect and beautiful. Frosted white with a tinge of blush at the top of petals. The blush-like fringe in each petal adds to its beauty.....	1 50	8 00	75 00
Punctatum—Fine white, with a delicate pink tinge and rosy spots.....	1 00	8 00	
Rubrum—Deep rose, freely spotted crimson and mottled white; perfectly exquisite.....	75	6 00	55 00

Lilium Hansoni

The above picture gives a good idea of the free-flowering qualities of this superb Lilium. The bulbs in this bed have been planted one to three years, and range in height from two to six feet, and present a very striking appearance. This lily is a native of Japan, and has always been high in price, but we have a stock of strong home-grown bulbs that will give splendid satisfaction, especially if planted in the Fall under conditions favorable to lilies. Bulbs, $30.00 per 100.

Lilium Sulphureum

(Wallichianum Superbum)

Flowers long and large, funnel-shaped, primrose yellow within, chocolate-white without. It is one of the grandest if not the most imposing Lilies yet grown. It should be covered well to exclude severe frost, or else taken up in the fall and wintered in a cellar. It requires good drainage, and if planted on sloping ground it is more liable to succeed. $1.00 each. $10.00 per doz.

Lilium Tenuifolium

The lovely Coral Lily of Siberia. A great beauty. The brightest of all Lilies. Grows 20 inches high, with finely cut foliage, slender stems and beautiful shaped flowers of a brilliant coral-red. One ought to grow them by the dozen, they are so fine for cutting, and make such grand clumps for the lawn. Blooms very early. Having grown an enormous stock of this exquisite Lily we are prepared to offer it at the exceedingly low price of $5.00 per 100; $40.00 per 1000.

Two Grand Speciosum Lilies

Henryi

(The Yellow Speciosum)

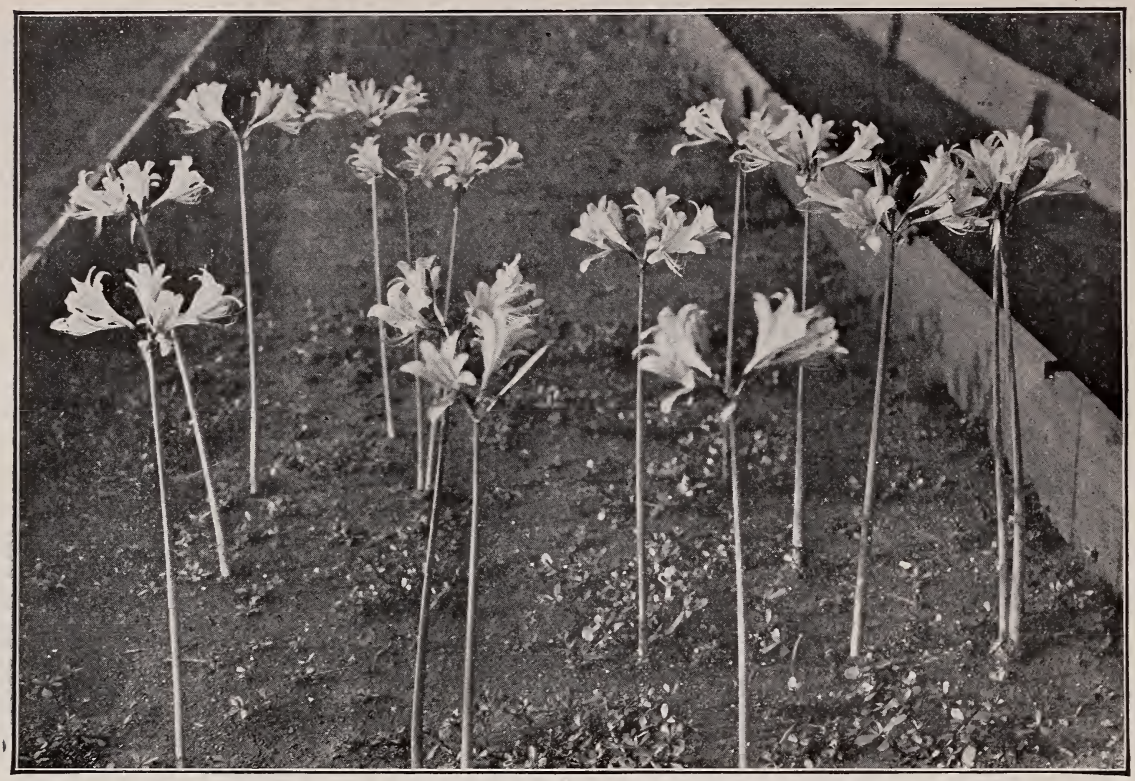
A splendid Lily from the mountains of China. It is a most vigorous Lily. Its flowers closely resemble those of *L. speciosum* in shape, but in color they are a handsome deep orange-yellow banded with green. It will thrive without any special care and produce a strong panicle of flowers. Like most other Lilies of the Speciosum class, it is well to cover it a little.

$7.00 per Dozen. $50.00 per 100.

Opal

We had thought that no Speciosum could exceed Melpomene, but this new Lily is even larger, grander, and if possible, more richly colored. Like the Opal, for which it is named, the eye drinks in its lovely tints with delight. To say that it is frosted, glistening white, delicately clouded with rosy scarlet, is to convey but a slight idea of its perfect loveliness. The deeply recurved petals are snowy white at the tip, gradually deepening in color to the base of each petal, which is blotched with a raised, moss-like fringe, which glistens like diamonds. The flower is very large.

$4 00 per Dozen. $25.00 per 100.



Lycoris Squamigera

OR

Amaryllis Halli

A perfectly hardy Amaryllis producing beautiful pink flowers.

DESCRIPTION:—Lycoris Squamigera produces in early spring attractive green foliage which grows until July when it ripens off and disappears, and one not familiar with its habits would think the bulb had died, but about a month later as if by magic the flower stalks spring from the ground to a height of two or three feet, developing an umbel of large and beautiful lily-shaped flowers 3 to 4 inches across and from 8 to 12 in number, of a delicate lilac pink shaded with clear blue.

CULTURE:—As the bulb is perfectly hardy without any protection it can be planted either in the Fall or Spring but we consider Fall the best time as the bulbs will have splendid chance to get established before flowering time. Cover the crown about 4 inches.

Very Useful for the Hardy Border or Among Shrubbery.

Price for Strong Blooming Bulbs 35c. Each. $30.00 per 100.

Phoenix Roebelini

The magnificent new Palm. Greatest of all decorative plants.

The newest, and in every respect the finest and most beautiful Palm grown. It has the graceful and beautiful foliage of Cocos Weddelliana, but ten times as much of it, and it is the hardiest and most easily grown of all Palms, and just the one that will succeed admirably in any window. Nothing can surpass it as a decorative plant.

Fine plants from 2-inch pots. 6 to 10 leaves. Per 100 $8.00.

Fine plants from 4-inch pots. Per 100 $50.00.

Miscellaneous Bulbs, Etc.

	Per 100.	Per 1000.
AMARYLLIS, Johnsoni	$20 00	
" Formosissima	4 00	30 00
" Regina	8 00	70 00
" Vittata Hybrids	25 00	200 00
" Burbank's Giant	70 00	
AMORPHOPHALLUS, Rivieri	6 00	50 00
" Simlense	5 00	40 00
APIOS TUBEROSA	1 50	10 00
BESSERA ELEGANS	2 50	20 00
CINNAMON VINE, Roots	2 50	20 00
" " Bulblets	50	4 00
COOPERIA DRUMMONDI	2 50	20 00
CALADIUM, Esculentum, 7 to 9 in	4 00	35 00
" " 5 to 7 in.	2 00	17 00
" Red-branched	6 00	50 00
" Giant Flowering	6 00	50 00
" Fancy, Named	8 00	70 00
" " Seedlings	6 50	60 00
" " Mixed	5 00	40 00
HLIDANTHUS, Fragrans-Elegant large bulbs	3 00	25 00
'RINUM, Kirki	12 00	
" Moorei	40 00	
RINUM, Ornatum	12 00	
YCLOBOTHRA, Flava	2 00	15 00
ALLA, Ethiopica Childsiana	20 00	
" " Gigantea	40 00	
UCHARIS AMAZONICA	9 00	75 00
GLOXINIA, Tubiflora	5 00	40 00
INCARVILLEA DELAVAYI	10 00	
MADEIRA VINE	1 00	8 00
MONTBRETIA, Fine Mixed	1 00	8 00
" Pure Lemon-Fine	1 50	10 00
" Crocosmaeflora	1 50	10 00
" Sulphurea	1 50	10 00
MILLA BIFLORA	2 50	20 00
PHADRANASSA GLORIOSA	3 00	25 00
QUEEN LILY	5 00	45 00
RESURRECTION PLANTS	3 00	25 00
SPIDER LILY (Pancratium)	6 00	50 00

Hardy Perennial Plants

We have a fine stock of choice hardy perennials as follows:

	Per 100
Aster Alpina	$ 6 00
Arundo Donax Variegata	5 00
Bleeding Heart	6 00
Boltonia Asteroides	5 00
Clematis Paniculata	6 00
Daphne Cneorum	12 00
Day Lily (Variegated Foliage)	4 00
Hemerocallis Flava	4 00
Platycoden Mariesi	8 00

Paeonies

	Per 100
Agida—Rosy violet	$10 00
Double White—Large varieties	10 00
Festiva Alba—Popular white for cutting	10 00
Fragrans—Deep pink	7 00
Humei—Beautiful pale rose	10 00
Lady Bramwell—Silver rose	10 00
Officinalis Rubra—Crimson	7 00
Potsii--Light solferino red	10 00
Queen Victoria -Early white	9 00
Mixed—All good sorts	6 00

THE GREAT ISMENE.

(*ISMENE CALATHENA GRANDIFLORA.*)

Having grown a Large Stock we are able to offer this Superb Bulb Very Cheaply.

Those who are familiar with the true Giant Ismene cannot say enough in praise of its beauty and purity. The flowers are of very large size, like an Amaryllis, novel form and of snowy whiteness, and are also exceedingly fragrant. It is really one of the most lovely of all the great Amaryllis tribe, having a peculiar grandeur which one can appreciate at sight, but cannot describe. Bulbs are large and strong and begin to flower in two or three weeks after planting, sending up tall flower stems, which bear several of its magnificent blossoms. As a pot plant it is grand, and as a garden bulb treated like a Gladiolus it is one of the choicest of all flowers. Do not fail to try it. It will more than please you for it is superior to the Bermuda Easter Lily as a flowering bulb. Strong flowering bulbs, $5.00 per 100; $40.00 per 1,000.